

## WILL BUILD ROAD AROUND BELOIT

Mr. Clough Concludes to Accept Offer of Janesville Business Men.

## GOT TIRED OF BELOIT

His Backers in the East Are Ready to Run Electric Lines from Here.

## WORK WILL BEGIN AT ONCE

It is now up to Beloit to say whether she will have an electric road, either urban or interurban. Ever since the plan of building an interurban road between Janesville, Beloit and Rockford there has been an effort on the part of certain Beloit citizens to block the deal unless the road went on an enormous expense and granted them everything that was asked. Mr. Clough, representing the Beloit, Delavan Lake and Janesville electric road accepted every reasonable proposition made him by the City of Beloit getting his franchise. He took all of the council that would go down into Ohio and Indiana and gave them every chance to see the workings of an established line, and they were satisfied that it was a good thing. On their return home they were blocked in granting a franchise by the selfish interference of a certain few, and let Mr. Clough go home without getting his franchise. Mr. Clough was very much set on building the line and was satisfied that a road could be built around Beloit and still be a paying investment. With this idea in view he had a survey made of a route around the city and took the same home with him to Cleveland. He had a long conference with the people that had financed the road and explained every part of the route to them. They took the plans and submitted them to experts and have received a report from them. T. S. Nolan of this city who is the attorney for the road in this vicinity this morning received a letter from Mr. Clough saying: "Since going home I have consulted with my people about building around Beloit. After listening to the reports of three of the most prominent experts in the U. S. they have unanimously agreed to build the road around Beloit." It would seem from this that the road is now an assured success, that the projectors worried of the continual bickering in Beloit, are going to build the road and leave them out. A great many people in Beloit will no doubt be pleased to hear of this move as they are much opposed to putting their city in competition with the outside world. The people of Janesville are pleased to learn that Mr. Clough intends building the road as they can see many advantages in having such a line outside of a connection with Beloit. Mr. Clough will be in the city next week and make arrangements for beginning active operations in the work of the building of the new line. The proposition made Mr. Clough by Janesville business men some time ago may have had some influence on his decision.

## TREVER SCORES THE DEUTSCHER CLUB

Recent Sensational Dance at a Smoker Denounced by a Milwaukee Methodist Minister.

Milwaukee, Wis., April 15.—A resolution condemning the recent affair at the Deutscher club, where a Chicago young woman gave a sensational dance at a "smoker" will be presented to the Methodist Ministers' association today at the weekly meeting by the Rev. G. H. Trever of the Washington avenue Methodist church. Mr. Trever last night preached a sermon with the Deutscher club affair as his text and he scored the members of the club for permitting the exhibition. The sermon was devoted to the social purity of the young men, and the tread of Mr. Trever's argument was that the up-to-date young man was free from the vices of the time. He referred briefly to the Deutscher club, saying that the report of the affair had been called to his attention by one of the young women of his congregation. Its truthfulness had not been denied, and the performance was more worthy of Sodom or Pompeii than of a modern Christian city. The club assumed to be composed of the Bon Ton of the city, and that, being the case, the members owed an apology to the respectable people of the city for what had taken place. "All decent people ought to unite in making the members of that club feel the abomination of such a performance," he said.

## PRIEST LYNCHED IN SPAIN.

Father Frascuelo, Who Slew Young Girl, Killed by a Mob.

Madrid, April 15.—Father Frascuelo, a Catholic priest, 28 years old, has just been lynched in the public square of a small place called Monte Allegro for shooting and killing a 15-year-old girl because she persistently resisted his love. The girl died after she was shot, but not until she had fully told the circumstances which led to her murder. As she lay dying a man hunt was taking place through the tortuous village streets. The murderer, having thrown off his cassock, ran like a deer to the next town, a furious mob chasing him. Finally, the priest took refuge in the barracks of the civil guards, which the mob invaded before reinforcements could be sent and bayoneted the priest over fifty times with weapons seized from the soldiers.

## TO HELP ALONG ZIONISTIC PROJECT

Fifteen Hundred Hebrews Hold a Mass Meeting at Milwaukee in Aid of the Movement.

Milwaukee, Wis., April 15.—Fifteen hundred Hebrews held a meeting yesterday in the interest of the Zionistic movement and demonstrated approval of the plan, which it is hoped will restore the prestige of the ancient Jews as a nation. The plan is to raise a fund sufficiently large to purchase the land of Palestine from the Turks and make it a haven for the oppressed Jews of every land. One of the branches of the organization is located in Milwaukee and has a constantly increasing membership. Dr. Caro, of this city, one of the chief promoters of the movement, says that the cause is to be prosecuted with fervor.

## U. S. TROOPS MUST REMAIN IN CUBA

Administration Believes That the Convention Will Not Agree—Pro-Long Military Government.

Washington, D. C., April 15.—It is now clear to the administration that the Cuban convention does not intend to take definite action on the Platt amendment or adopt an ordinance providing for relations, and that the Cuban government must hold to the government of the United States. The plan adopted to send a commission to Washington and yet give the commission no power to make agreements, shows how inexperienced these Cuban delegates are in political affairs. The commission will be unable to accomplish anything. The president cannot modify the plan already before the convention as defining the position of this government. The result will be that the military government in Cuba will continue, and the date for inaugurating a Cuban government indefinitely postponed.

## POPE WILL NAME CARDINALS TODAY

Indications That His Holiness is Preparing for the Succession of Rampolla.

Washington, April 15.—According to news which has just reached the apostolic delegation, the consistory to be held in Rome today will be the most noteworthy during the pontificate of Leo XIII. Monsignore Martinielli's nomination to the cardinalate will be announced, together with those of fifteen other prelates. This is the largest number of prelates promoted to the sacred college at one time within many years. Pope Leo's health is excellent for a man in his ninety-second year, but there is much significance in the fact that the aged pontiff is setting his house in order. The creation of sixteen cardinals at this consistory will bring the sacred college to within one of its full complement, a condition which has not before existed since the beginning of the nineteenth century. Since 1590 the college has been limited to fifty cardinals. This infusion of new blood into the college is all favorable to Cardinal Rampolla, the papal secretary of state. This appointment of sixteen sure votes in the conclave is regarded as assuring either in the election of Rampolla as pope or the selection of some prelate committed to the ecclesiastical policy of the present pontiff and his secretary of state. Cardinal Rampolla is now 58 years of age. He was raised to the purple March 14, 1887, and three months later on June 15, was appointed to be secretary of state. During the last fourteen years he has borne the burden of the pope's politics. During the first eight years of his reign Leo installed two secretaries of state, and Rampolla's long official career is attributed to his wonderful vitality. George Gower, and old Janesville boy is in the city.

## FINAL WARNING SENT TO RUSSIA; AN ULTIMATUM FROM THE MIKADO

Czar's Demand Upon China Regarding Manchuria Will Not Be Tolerated by Japan—War Clouds Again Looming Darkly.

London, April 15.—Japan has issued an ultimatum to China that Russia must be ejected from Manchuria, the alternative being that occupation of that province shall become international instead of solely Muscovite. While directed to Emperor Kwang Hsu, through Li Hung Chang, the ultimatum is undoubtedly meant for St. Petersburg. It is the serving of notice on the czar that he must either abandon Manchuria or fight. Warning is made clear. The wording of the ultimatum does full credit to the reputation of Marquis Ito as the Bismarck of the Orient. Beneath that flowery language is concealed the mailed fist. First presented as a petition, Japan's words are now those of a demand. Japan itching for a fight. That Japan has determined to precipitate a crisis in the far East is now no longer open to doubt. That, while openly acting independently, she has been promised support by other powers, Great Britain, among them, is more than probable. One thing is certain. Russia must now show her hand. She can no longer hide her purposes behind the assertion that she must retain her troops in Manchuria to preserve order and protect her interests. International aid in so doing is now offered her. That she will reject it is a foregone conclusion. Therefore a clash seems inevitable. Japan's assurance to China that all the nations regard the latter as a "friendly power" is intended here as an oriental intimation to Russia that she herself is not considered in that category as far as Japan is concerned.

## IOWA REPUBLICANS TO NOMINATE CONGR

Minister to Pekin Likely to Head the State Ticket—Great Reception is Being Planned.

Des Moines, April 15.—No matter what may be the attitude of Minister Conger when he arrives in Iowa with respect to the governorship, his coming, will in a large measure, settle the uncertainty that now prevails. His friends believe that if he should become a candidate now he would be nominated. He will undoubtedly be asked to be party harmony. He belongs to no faction of the party. For several years he has scarcely been in the state, and is the object of none of the ill feeling that has sprung up between the friends of the different candidates. It is true that he has said that he is not a candidate. This statement was made some time ago, however, and when he could have had only a faint idea of the real situation. When he arrives here it is believed that he will consent to be a passive candidate, at least if he can be assured that it will harmonize the party. Politicians agree that he will be a factor in the fight and one that cannot be eliminated. The people are tired of fights that are without any real reason and will be glad if harmony can once more be restored. Great receptions are being planned for Minister Conger. At Council Bluffs, where he will enter the state, the people are making plans to receive him in a fitting manner. They will be assisted by people from Des Moines and all over the state.

## FIRE A VOLLEY INTO A MURDERER

Hastings, Fla., April 15.—Jim Kirby, a negro, shot and killed Julius Eskew, a white foreman in a turpentine camp near here Saturday. While robbing the body he was frightened off by a posse who pursued him miles into a swamp and captured him. While waiting at siding for a train a large crowd fired a volley into Kirby.

The closing meeting of the Twilight club series for the season is to be held at the hotel Myers tomorrow evening, and gives promise of being one of the most enjoyable of the year. The ladies will be invited to attend and no doubt there will be but few who have an opportunity to attend that will be absent.

## COMMON SALT REVIVES THE DEAD

Remarkable Success of an Experiment in a Hospital After Patient's Heart Ceased to Beat.

Evansville, Ind., April 15.—The bringing back to life of Mrs. Sallie Allen at a local hospital by the injection into a vein of a normal salt solution, is being widely commented on by the physicians in this part of the country. The solution was nothing more than a teaspoonful of common salt dissolved in a pint of water. Mrs. Allen is getting along all right and the chances of recovery are greatly in her favor. Mrs. Allen had long suffered with abdominal trouble, and decided on an operation as the last effort to save her life. She was taken to a sanitarium on Friday night and when the operation was finished three physicians examined the dead woman's pulse and found her to be dead. Her respiratory glands failed to perform their functions. Nitroglycerine, strychnine and other stimulants used to revive the heart's action were brought into use, but they failed to revive the patient. As a last resort Dr. Richstein opened a vein in the woman's arm and injected a pint of normal salt solution. He was rewarded three minutes afterward by seeing the patient open her eyes. In a few seconds more she raised her head and asked for something to eat. The doctors could hardly believe that the woman was alive after the remarkable occurrence. While the power of salt to bring the dead back to life has been commented on by the medical journals of the country, few practitioners have had the hardihood to risk the chances of failure in giving it a trial. Dr. Richstein is probably the first physician in the west to make the test. The doctor is confident that the woman would now be a corpse had he not resorted to the normal salt solution.

## MAYOR JOHNSON'S PROPOSED REFORMS

Begins His Work in Cleveland in Vigorous Style—Gamblers Must Go and Saloons Must Obey

Cleveland, Ohio, April 15.—Tom L. Johnson, reformer, has been mayor of Cleveland less than two weeks, and if what he has already done can be taken as a basis, it is certain that he means business, and that every promise made in his campaign will be kept to the letter. Gambling-houses must close, at least during the term of Mayor Johnson; the gamblers and confidence men will be driven from town; unsafe and unsightly buildings will be removed by their owners or the city fire department will tear them down, whether occupied or not, and business methods will be put into effect in all branches of the city government, according to the edicts issued by the new executive. A large increase in the police and detective forces is planned to enforce these rules, to clear the city of all undesirable characters, to close all disorderly saloons, and to see that the state laws and the city ordinances are obeyed. Cleveland will become a model city, if Mayor Johnson has his way, and from present indications he will have his way whatever the cost. He hopes to establish a city lighting plant and he claims that two street railway franchises will expire during his term. These lines he will purchase for the municipality unless some legal bar interferes. Taxation reform is another of his favorite ideas which he will attempt to bring about. Clean streets and good pavement in every part of the city also are reforms on Mayor Johnson's list.

## BITTEN BY A MAD DOG

Six Children Attacked at Broadhead Last Saturday—One Boy's Arm Was Badly Lacerated.

A mad dog created considerable trouble in Broadhead Saturday afternoon. Before he could be killed he had bitten six children, a horse, and several other dogs. One boy's arm was terribly lacerated, and it was thought that it would be necessary to amputate it to counteract the poison. It is feared serious results will follow many of the injuries.

State Veterinarian E. D. Roberts left this morning for Baraboo where he will inspect some stock reported to be infected with a contagious disease.

## HIGH WATER AT KAUKAUNA.

Fox River Higher Than Ever and Mill Property in Danger.

Kaukauna, Wis., April 15.—The Fox river is higher than ever today. Word was received here from Captain Mann of the United States Engineer department of Oshkosh last night that another section of the sluice will be opened on the Menasha dam. Preparations were made to receive the water. The long trestle of the Northwestern railroad company was weighted down with a train load of pulp wood, and all the mills situated on the government canal had watchmen protecting the banks. The water rose at two o'clock nearly a foot and ran over the top of the Kaukauna Electric Light company's head gates and flume.

## STEYN SAYS GIVE UP; APPEAL TO BOERS

Joins General Botha in Asking the Burghers to Lay Down Their Arms and Surrender.

London, April 15.—General Dewet now stands alone as the backbone of the Boer army. Former President Steyn of the Orange Free State, who had thrown in his lot with President Kruger, has issued an urgent plea to all Boers on command to surrender at once and end the war that is devastating South Africa. In this respect the ex-president endorses the recent action of General Botha and removes another column of support from Dewet, who, so far, has spurned every advance for peace, or met such overtures with so many counter proposals that no basis for an understanding could be reached. The announcement of Herr Steyn's appeal to the belligerents came today from Bloemfontein and caused much satisfaction here, especially since Steyn has had liberal contact with the English people on British soil.

## GIRL VICTIM OF A CARELESS RIDER

Maguerite Palmer, daughter of Dr. H. A. Palmer, was the victim of a careless bicycle rider while on her way to church yesterday morning.

Miss Palmer in company with another young girl were crossing Franklin street at the corner of Pleasant street. The man riding the bike was rushing along at a high rate of speed with his head down and paying no attention to what was going on around him. He did not ring his bell and the first warning the girls had was when he crashed into Miss Palmer. The shock threw her to the ground, injuring her left knee so badly that she could hardly step. The rider was thrown from his wheel but jumped up unhurt and without stopping to find out whether he had hurt the young girl jumped on his bike and rode off. Mr. Palmer notified the police of the occurrence and they are making efforts to locate the rider.

## ONE COURT CONVICTS ANOTHER RELEASES

Christian Scientist Case Which Has Attracted So Much Attention in Milwaukee, Ended.

Milwaukee, Wis., April 15.—Police Justice Neelan was overruled today in the circuit court by Eugene S. Elliott in the Christian Science case. In the case of the state of Wisconsin vs. Crescentia Arrest and Emma Nichols, Justice Neelan found defendants guilty of practicing medicine without a license and fined them \$50 each. This afternoon Judge Elliott found the defendants not guilty of the charge and ordered their immediate discharge. Arnold Huchting, a well-known German resident of this city, shot himself at his home, 2531 Nineteenth street early this morning. He was taken in the police ambulance to the Emergency hospital where he died. The motive has not been learned. He was seventy-one years of age and has been in bad health of late.

## MISSOURI NO PLACE FOR CARRIE NATION

She is Sentenced to Pay a \$500 Fine or Leave Town at Once for Blocking the Streets.

Kansas City, Mo., April 15.—Mrs. Carrie Nation was fined five hundred dollars by Police Judge McAulay this morning and given an alternative of leaving the town before six p. m. She was arraigned on the charge of blocking the streets. Addressing Mrs. Nation, the judge said: "Missouri is no place for you. Missouri is not a good state for short-haired women, long-haired men or whistling girls."

## ENORMOUS GAINS IN TRADE BALANCE

Closing Year in McKinley's First Term Breaks The Record.

## SHOWS BIG INCREASE

Prosperity Has Become Permanent in the Business of the United States.

## EXPORTS EXCEED IMPORTS

Washington, D. C., April 15.—President McKinley's reputation as the advance agent of prosperity is not likely to be dimmed by the trade reports of this year. On the contrary the figures show that the United States is driving ahead by leaps and bounds. The balance of the trade after reaching figures which astonished the world, stood still and then receded a little, but now it has jumped enormously. For this part of the fiscal year, with three months yet to hear from the balance of trade in favor of the United States is over \$500,000,000, and at the present rate, the balance for the year will be nearly, if not quite, \$700,000,000 on the right hand side of Uncle Sam's ledger. The figures up to March 31, just finished, are so stupendous as to stagger one. For the first nine months of this year the exports of merchandise from the United States amounted to \$1,140,170,728, while the imports were \$599,483,391. A Favorable Balance. This means a favorable balance of trade of \$540,687,337. This sum, enormous as it is, measures the fact that the United States has sold to foreign nations just that much more than it has bought from them. This balance is \$128,832,671 larger than for the same period of last year. The exports have increased \$85,540,032, while the imports have decreased \$42,292,639. Nations have generally measured their prosperity by their foreign trade, and hence President McKinley is delighted over the fact that while our trade balance for the twelve months ending on March 31 is \$673,374,569, the balance for the same twelve months ending in 1896 the year he was elected, was only \$58,640,355. Thus it will be seen that the trade balance is now ten times what it was before his election. Will Point With Pride. This startling gain in the balance of trade is not due to the cutting off of imports owing to the operations of the high tariff, but comes from the wonderful development of the export trade, which jumped from \$862,731,707 for the year ending March 31, 1896, to \$1,481,023,114 for the current twelve months, a gain of \$618,291,407. When these figures are extended to cover the year ending June 30, 1901, they will be used by the president in his next message to congress to point with pardonable pride to the wonderful record of the last fiscal year of his administration.

## PRACTICAL TALKS ON TEMPERANCE

The lay service on temperance at Christ church last evening was one of the finest temperance meetings ever held in the city. If the excellence of the addresses given is considered, John H. Jones made a practical talk that was especially appealing because He presented the work of the Francis Murphy League and made the statement that not one of its members had broken the pledge who had asked God's help to keep it. Dr. James Mills made an excellent talk on the effect of strong drink on the person who takes it and on his home and family and the addresses of the evening came to an effective close with the stirring address of Dr. J. B. Whiting, who always speaks eloquently on the temperance question. Dr. Whiting thought, from the small number of people present, that the members of Christ church were not very anxious to hear him talk. The choir gave some very fine music repeating Easter anthems. Y. M. C. A. Men's Meeting. The men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A. building yesterday afternoon was largely attended and was one of unusual excellence. Prof. George Brace was the leader and his talk on "Does it Pay to Be a Christian?" was full of suggestive thoughts which induced a great number of young men to participate in the general discussion which followed. The Y. M. C. A. orchestra furnished enjoyable music, sic. N. J. Butter of Chicago visited friends in this city yesterday.



## LEGISLATIVE NEWS AND GOSSIP.

Madison, April 13.—The bill providing for biennial elections in cities has finally come from the assembly committee on cities with a favorable report, and is on the calendar for passage. It is a far different bill from the original, however. The present measure merely provides that cities may by majority vote of the electors decide on two-year terms for mayor and aldermen. As it is already feasible for cities to accomplish this by adopting provisions of the general charter act, the step gained is a very slight one. One of the objects of the bill was to have the terms in all cities begin at the same time. The law could not be put in operation before 1902, and to accomplish this the original bill provided that in cities now electing biennially the election this spring should be only for a single year. It was this feature which brought out strong objections from some of the biennial cities, and defeated it.

The voting machine question is not yet disposed of. The bill resolution for a constitutional amendment legalizing their use was once defeated in the senate by one majority. Then this vote was reconsidered and the resolution passed 19 to 12. Then this vote also was reconsidered and the matter laid over until next week. Several of the opponents of the resolution say the courts have decided that a voting machine is a ballot within the meaning of the law, and that its use is legal without amending the constitution. They claim that the real object accomplished by the passage of the resolution would be to give the manufacturers of the machine a lot of free advertising, and this view is gaining converts. The chances now are that the amendment will finally be killed.

Mr. Spratt's bill making towns liable for the damages done by dogs when the canines are on a sheep-

killing expedition if the loss cannot be collected from the owner of the dog, is again on the assembly calendar. It is almost needless to add that the recommendation is for indefinite postponement. This bill is of interest only in the fact that similar measures have been appearing regularly before the legislature for something over a quarter of a century now, to each time receive the same fate.

The joint resolution thanking Capt. Newton for his services as member of the party which accompanied Gen. Frederick Funston when Aguinaldo was captured is on the assembly calendar for passage. There will undoubtedly be no objections made to it and a near by mail to Manila will carry a copy of the engrossed resolution to Capt. Newton. It is requested in the resolution that President McKinley give Capt. Newton an appointment in the regular army.

Senator Stout feels the defeat of the Woodward marriage bill more keenly than most people would expect. The senator believes that a measure such as the bill that was drawn by Mr. Woodward would prove a great protection to the state against parties entering into the marriage state who are mentally incompetent. He points to the fact that a very similar bill has been passed in Minnesota and says that he thinks it only a question of time when most of the states will adopt similar laws.

The Karel bill providing that school boards shall furnish free lecture courses for working men has been ordered engrossed in the assembly. It is Mr. Karel's idea that these lectures shall be held in school houses or other public buildings and he believes they will prove a great aid in the education of the masses. The expense which will be entailed on the cities by these free lecture courses, Mr. Karel says, will be small.

## STUART'S DYSPEPSIA TABLETS.

GIVE PERFECT DIGESTION, SOUND SLEEP, STRONG NERVES.

A Popular Remedy for Dyspepsia Which has made many Remarkable Cures.

The spring of the year is the time for blood purifiers. It is the season when we think we must dose with sarsaparillas, bitters and the endless list of so-called blood purifiers and nerve tonics.

As a matter of fact, there is but one possible way in which to purify the blood and that is through the stomach and bowels.

The blood results from wholesome food thoroughly digested. Impure blood results from poor digestion and assimilation. When the stomach refuses to work properly the food remains too long a time, fermenting, forming gases, shown by sour, bitter taste in the mouth, bloating and belching of gas, and distress and discomfort generally. Poor blood, weak nerves, sleeplessness and a general don't care feeling can always be traced to imperfect digestion.

This is the reason why Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are superior to all other spring medicines and blood purifiers. They give perfect digestion, the food does not lie in the stomach for hours. They give a vigorous appetite, sound sleep, strong nerves, and wholesome food well digested makes pure blood, and in no other way can the blood be purified. The idea that a medicine, in itself, will purify the blood when the stomach and digestive organs are out of order is nonsense. Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are used by thousands in preference to "bitters," "after dinner pills" and "blood purifiers" because they remove the cause of the impure blood, and you do not have to take them forever to get results. Dyspepsia is an obstinate disease to cure and a remedy must be designed especially for it and nothing else. Cure-alls will not cure dyspepsia.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are not claimed to cure everything or anything except dyspepsia and stomach troubles and for that it stands alone suffering from any trouble with their digestion will find these tablets will give immediate relief and a permanent cure.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are prepared by F. A. Stuart Co., of Marshall, Mich., and sold by druggists everywhere at 50 cents per package. No dieting or change of habits is required, they digest the food.

### MUNICIPAL COURT NOTES.

Frank Rooney and A. J. Rooney were before the Municipal court this morning charged with assault and battery on George Cullen. They pleaded not guilty and their trial was set for Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock.

Harvey Thomas of Indian Ford was arrested by Under Sheriff Cochran on a warrant charging him with assault with intent to do great bodily harm. The complaining witness was his wife. The warrant was issued for Thomas last October, the offense having been committed at that time. Thomas got wind of the fact that the officers were after him and skipped out for Minnesota. It was not thought worth while for the officers to go after him, so they waited until he returned to this state. He came to Janesville from Whitewater, Wis., where he has been staying lately, and was nabbed as soon as he struck the town. He pleaded not guilty to the charge and in default of \$1,000 bail was sent to jail to await his trial.

The case of the state of Wisconsin vs. R. Cone will come up for trial at 4 o'clock this afternoon when a jury will be drawn. Cone was arrested for stealing a bag of furs from the rear of the American Express Co.'s office. The case will be set for trial on Wednesday at 10 a. m. before Judge J. W. Sale of the County court who will preside.

### YOKES CHURCH AND SALOON.

Tom Johnson Appoints Representatives of Each to His Cabinet.

Cleveland, O., April 15.—Mayor Tom Johnson both pleased and shocked the good people of this city today by appointing a minister and a saloon-keeper to be members of his official family.

The Rev. Harris R. Cooley was named as the Director of Charities and Corrections, and Saloonkeeper Madigan was made Director of Accounts. Cleveland will now witness the unique spectacle of a preacher and a saloon proprietor passing on the question whether the Sunday liquor law shall be enforced.

The Rev. Mr. Cooley has been the pastor of the Cedar Avenue church for twenty-one years. Tom Johnson has been a member of this church for eighteen years. The minister is in hearty sympathy with all the ideas of the mayor and is a Republican.

James P. Madigan is the proprietor of a saloon and wholesale liquor house. He is an ardent Democrat. He has sent letters to the editors of the daily papers stating that he is no longer connected with the saloon business. He has promised the mayor to retire from the trade.

Charles P. Salen, Mayor Johnson's campaign manager, said today that the mayor would not be a candidate for governor this year.

Mayor Johnson, when told of the action of the Indianapolis Single Tax club in calling a meeting to launch a presidential boom for him, said: "I would like to telegraph them not to. I am not a candidate for the presidency."

## JANESVILLE MARKET PRICES

Quotations on Grain and Produce Are Reported for The Gazette.

Reported by R. E. McGuire.  
FLOUR—extra at 95c @ \$1.15 per sack.  
WHEAT—65c 10c.  
BUCKWHEAT—(Soy) \$1.50 per 100 lbs.  
RICE—30c per bu.  
BARLEY—36c 17c per bu.  
CORN—\$2.00 per ton.  
OATS—Common to best, white, 25c 30c.  
CLOVER SEED—\$10.00 to \$10.50 100 lbs.  
TIMOTHY SEED—\$3.50 to \$4.00 100 lbs.  
FEED—\$18 per ton 85c 100 lbs.  
BEAN—Beans at 85c 100 lbs., \$17.00 100 lbs.  
MINUTIA—55c per 100 lbs., \$17.00 100 lbs.  
MEAL—\$6.00 to \$6.50 per ton.  
HAY—Timothy 1st ton, \$12.00 @ \$14.00; Clover \$10.00 @ \$12.00; Wild \$8.00 @ \$10.00.  
STRAW—\$7.00 100 lbs.  
POTATOES—35c bushel.  
BRANS—\$1.35 bushel.  
BUTTER—Creamery, 19c 21c; dairy, 15c 18c.  
EGGS—11c 15c 100.  
POULTRY—Turkeys 65c; chickens, 8c 10c.  
WOL—Washed, 27c 28c; unwashed, 17c 20c.  
HIDES—55c 56c.  
FELTS—Quotable at 10c 11c.  
CATTLE—\$3.00 35c 100 lbs.  
HOGS—\$5.00 55c 100 lbs.  
SHEEP—40c 45c; lambs, 40c 45c.

## AGUINALDO CLOSELY GUARDED

Precaution to Prevent Escape or Injury by Luna's Friends.

Washington, D. C., April 15.—Under instructions, Gen. MacArthur is closely guarding Aguinaldo, both to prevent his escape and to prevent any injury being done him by friends of the late Lieut. Luna. Lieut.-Col. Clarence Edwards, who was the adjutant-general of Gen. Lawton's column, said that there seemed to be very little doubt that Aguinaldo had given instructions for the death of Luna.

Luna was killed in Cabanatuan by one of Aguinaldo's bodyguards, who had been drawn up in honor of the insurgent general, who, Col. Edwards said, was "the Lawton of the Filipino service." Aguinaldo had sent a peace commission to treat with the Americans, but Luna arrested some of them and sent his own commission.

Jealous of his popularity with the army and desiring to preserve for himself the dictatorship, Aguinaldo, Col. Edwards added, is believed to have given the orders which resulted in his rival's assassination. Luna has many friends and it would not surprise officers here should an attempt be made on Aguinaldo's life in revenge for the assassination of the popular insurgent officer. Aguinaldo's delay in issuing the manifesto advising general surrender of the insurgents and delivery of arms and their acceptance of American sovereignty is causing comment. Officials of the war department assert their faith in Gen. MacArthur's ability to induce Aguinaldo to issue the desired address. Aguinaldo has demanded certain conditions as a preliminary to this action and a discussion has occurred on the points which he has named. Before the address is issued it is expected it will be cabled in full to the secretary of war for submission to the president, and will be amended by the authorities here if amendment is desirable.

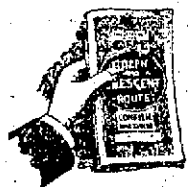


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## News of the Golf Links

The golf season has opened up in all parts of the country, while most of the large courses date their official season from May 1, many of them are now in first class condition and the players are rapidly getting out of the tied up condition that the long lay off caused by winter had put them into.

The grounds of the Sinissippi Golf club are in fine shape considering that no work has been done on them this year. Such is the character of the course, with its natural turf and splendid drainage, that within an hour after the hardest rain it is in first-class shape for play. It is 3,076 yards long and has no crosses and no bad parallels. The rolling character of the ground presents numerous difficulties to the player so that many artificial hazards are not necessary to keep a player keyed up to the top of his game to make a good score.

The idea of holding the state tournament in Janesville is holding the Sinissippi club up to getting their grounds in first class shape so that no fault can be found by the visiting players on the condition of the grounds.

The Inter Ocean of yesterday in speaking of the state league, says: "It did not take very long for President Schaller and Secretary Baker of the Sinissippi Golf club to enlist the aid of the different Wisconsin organizations in forming a state league. The project seemed to be perfectly ripe and only needed the impetus which Janesville golfers supplied. So it is practically assured that the proposed organization will become a reality and that its tournament will be held on the 18th, 19th and 20th of July."

"According to the Milwaukee Sentinel, our pioneer Western golfing poet laureate, Frank Keene, has placed the seal of his approval on the proposed movement, but he incidentally remarks that Milwaukee is the place par excellence for the initial meeting. The Janesville people feel slightly piqued to think that Milwaukee desires to out them from the meeting, but the probabilities are that their supposition is incorrect, as going on the principal of rendering 'unto Caesar what belongs to Caesar'."

### LEYDEN.

Leyden, April 15.—Indications are for good crops this season.

Frank Gentz, Nat Tobin and Martha Gents are improving and we are in hopes of seeing them able to be out ere long.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Beardsley are callers at Fred Gent's Thursday evening.

Charles Cassidy is resuming work at the carpenter trade.

Mr. Byrne has moved onto his farm one half mile north of Leyden New Store formerly owned by Mr. Ryan Mr. Ryan having moved to Janesville where he will reside.

Jack Ryan is now employed in Janesville.

Mrs. Blanch Morrison is improving fast and will soon be able to return

to her home at Leyden. She has been staying with her brother, George, in Evansville during her illness.

Miss Lilly Newman is staying at Mr. Ely Fish's.

The spring term of school at Leyden commenced last Monday, Miss Ford is teaching.

Farmers are busy plowing and doing spring work. Improvements are to be made to new stock yards at Leyden by the railroad company shortly.

### Beyce Kills a Woman.

Chicago, April 15.—While trying to get out of the way of a prancing horse, Miss Annie Purtil, a seamstress, was run over and killed by a bicycle ridden by Joseph Richter at Clark and Schiller streets.

## TO PREVENT SMUT IN THE GRAIN SOWN

Circular from the State Department of Agriculture Giving Important Information to Farmers.

It is often said that farmers pay more than their just share of taxes. However this may be, most farmers submit to some taxes that they might readily avoid. One of these is the smut tax on grain which usually amounts to from 3 to 20 per cent. of the value of the crop. Ordinary taxes are not a total loss, for they return in value nearly or quite as much as they cost. But this smut tax is a total loss. The smutted plants grow from good seed, and take good plant food from the soil, returning a crop of spores to infect the seed grown by the healthy plants, and thus to predispose the following crop to smut.

The Wisconsin oat crop of 1898 was estimated by the U. S. Department of Agriculture at 64,000,000 bushels, valued at \$15,500,000. Allowing an average loss from smut of five per cent., which is probably not an excessive estimate, the smut tax of 1898 in our state amounted to about \$775,000.

### The Nature of Smuts.

The smuts of the small grains are due to fungous parasites, i. e., minute plants that grow and multiply inside of the grain plants, coming to maturity in the kernels. The soot-like dust forming the so-called smut is composed of the spores of these minute plants, and these spores propagate weed plants. The spores cannot live through the winter in or upon the ground, hence a crop can only be infested with smut from live spores that adhere to the seed grains and are sown with them. It follows that if we treat the oats used for seed before sowing with some substance that kills the smut spores upon them, our crop will be free from smut.

Various methods have been used to prevent smut in the small grains but the method now acknowledged to be best is that known as the "formaldehyde" treatment. This consists in sprinkling the seed with a 40 per cent. solution of formaldehyde gas.

Formaldehyde is a colorless, pungent gas obtainable from wood alcohol and readily soluble in water. It may be purchased at drug stores in liquid form, that is, dissolved in water. Its property of destroying the spores of fungi was discovered by the German scientist, Loew, in 1888. It is not poisonous in moderate amounts, even when taken internally. In 1895 Prof. H. L. Bolley, then of Indiana, but now of North Dakota Experiment Station, began making experiments with a solution of formaldehyde for the prevention of grain smuts, and potato scab. His results were so satisfactory that the formaldehyde treatment has come to be regarded as the standard preventive for these diseases.

### How to Treat the Seed.

Buy, at a drug store, one pound of 40 per cent. formaldehyde for every 50 bushels of grain it is desired to treat. Ascertain at once if your druggist has it, to give him time to procure it if he has not. Pour one pound of the formaldehyde solution into a barrel containing 45 gallons of clean water. Then place a layer of grain three or four inches thick on the barn floor and sprinkle this with the solution until all the grains are entirely wet. A garden sprinkler is good for this work. Then place another layer of grain on the first layer and sprinkle as before, repeating the process until all the seed has been sprinkled. Leave the grain in the pile two hours, then spread out thinly to dry. It should be shoveled over once or twice a day until dry. If it is to be sown broadcast it is not necessary to dry it.

Corn smut cannot be prevented by treating the seed corn, as the disease is of a different nature from the other grain smuts.

## TOBACCO ACREAGE WILL BE LARGER

Buyers Are Picking Away at the Remnants of Last Year's Crops—Trading is Brisk.

The present indications are that that the acreage devoted to tobacco in this state will be quite materially increased again this year. The fields will be considerably extended in some of the new growing sections, while it can hardly be expected that any of the older growing sections will reduce their acreage. Farmers seem to look upon the damage from curing the crops sustained last season only as an incident connected with the business. While it was the most serious that ever occurred to Wisconsin may not happen again in a long series of years. So long as remunerative prices are paid for our tobacco, we may look for a steady increase in the production. The writer long since gave up the idea of trying to influence the production by the use of statistics showing the dangers of over production. Nothing but low prices or poor crop will bring about the curtailment of acreage, which is sure to come sooner or later. Tobacco can be produced so cheaply in this state by the use of labor saving machinery that prices must fall to a very low figure before this gradual extension of acreage will meet its inevitable setback.

Buyers are picking away at the remnants of last year's crop in many of the growing sections with a prospect that it will be closely gathered up before many weeks have expired. A large proportion of what is now left is of cheaper grades and is being lifted at export prices. Dealers are in possession of a good many export orders and when the growers are willing to let go of the goods at prices within reach, trading is quite brisk. The American Tobacco Co. have also been extensive buyers of late of this class of this class of goods. An occasional lot of the better grades also finds a purchaser but the main trading is confined to sales made at from 3 to 6 cents.—Edgerton Reporter.

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## AMUSEMENT NOTES

Anna Held, under the management of F. Ziegfeld, jr., will begin an engagement at the Myers Grand, Friday, April 26, in her entertaining play "Papa's Wife," which is a musical comedy adapted from the French by Harry B. Smith and Reginald De Koven. The piece abounds in bright lines and melodious, catchy music. The original cast and production will be employed. The cast includes Miss Held, Charles J. Bigelow, Mr. Max Fignman, Mr. George Marion, Mr. Dan Collier, Miss Adella Barker, Miss Crissie Carlyle, and some twenty-five others.

It is a pleasure to announce the coming of America's foremost and most popular tragedian, Mr. John Griffith, at the Myers Grand on Tuesday, April 18. Mr. Griffith will be seen as Mephisto in Faust. The play has been more effective in contrasting and teaching the effects of good and evil in the world than all the sermons ever preached. He advises his hearers to see Faust at every opportunity. Both Mr. Griffith and his manager, Al. Caldwell, have given much time and thought to the tragedy and it will be produced with an artistic regard of all that becomes the grandeur of the subject and the high artistic merit of the tragedian.

Jule Walters, a most interesting personage and a prince of comedies in originality and genius, will present his laugh provoking play, "Side Tracked," at the Myers Grand, Friday, April 19. Mr. Walters' cleverness has won for him many admirers and his portrayal of Horatio, the dusty roads type of itinerant, is well known to most American theatre goers. He is supported by that beautiful actress and sweet singer, Miss Louise Llewellyn, and a very strong company. Mr. Walters promises some very entertaining vaudeville features in connection with the play, and the scenery promises to be very picturesque.

Beginning next Monday night at the Myers Grand, the Standard Stock Company will open their engagement in our city for three nights only. This company notwithstanding that they play to popular prices, produce finer plays and give more for the money than a great many high priced attractions. The Standard Stock Company is a combined dramatic and vaudeville company, and besides producing the best of dramatic plays, refined and up-to-date specialties are given between each act. On the opening night in our city that roaring farce comedy, "McNulty's Visit," will be presented.

"Quo Vadis" is a thrilling story of the prosecution of the arly Christians, the downfall of the pagan Roman Empire, and the dawn of the Christian era. The version of the play used by Mr. Carpenter was especially written for his company and made a wonderful success last season, both as an artistic dramatic production and a magnificent scenic spectacle. The play was superbly staged and costumed last season, but Mr. Carpenter has secured additional people, more and costlier scenery, and additional effects for his production this year. "Quo Vadis" as improved and presented by Mr. Carpenter tomorrow evening will be easily the dramatic treat of the season.

Try a package of Mrs. Austin's Wheat Food, fine for breakfast, delicious for dessert, sure to delight.

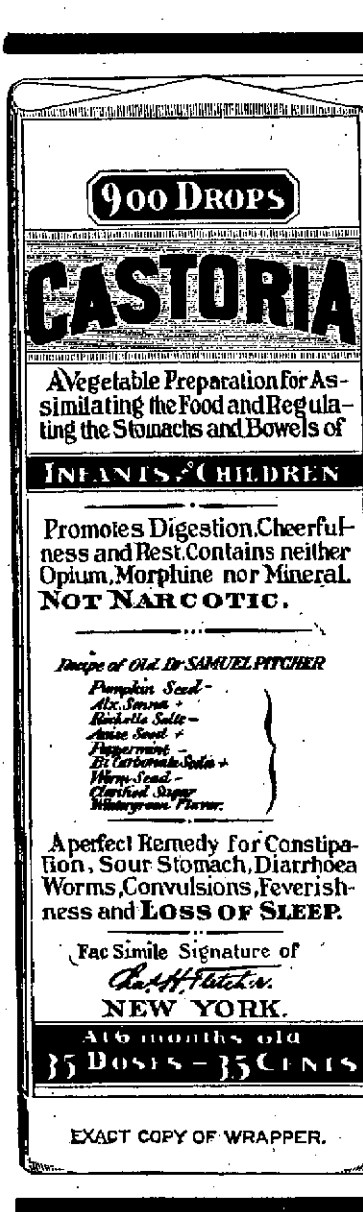
### DANGER FROM ELECTROLYSIS.

Water Supply of Racine Cut Off by Action of the Current. The city council at its meeting tonight will consider the danger of electrolysis. The following dispatch from Racine to the Milwaukee Sentinel shows the danger that Janesville stands in.

Racine, Wis., April 15.—The water supply in the entire southern part of the First Ward has been cut off for nearly a week on account of the 14-inch water main of the Racine Water company giving out. People in the district cut off are hauling water in barrels.

When the defective water pipe was dug up it was discovered that electrolysis had ruined it and further investigation revealed that ten sections of the pipe were in the same condition and had to be removed.

It is understood that the water company will demand damages of the street railway people on the ground that the water mains were laid in 1896 and that the electric light wires were placed over them years later.



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## Wisconsin Weather Forecast.

Partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday; variable winds.

## THE SCHOOL QUESTION.

People generally and patrons of the schools in particular, express genuine regret, when speaking of Professor Mayne's proposed removal from the city.

Janesville is extremely fortunate in having enjoyed his service for half a dozen years.

Mr. Mayne is more than a pedagogue. He possesses not only the ability to teach, and govern a system of city schools, but his vision is broad enough to grasp questions of public interests, and so he has won his way to the front as a wide awake, public spirited citizen; accomplishing without capital or wealth very much that has been helpful to the culture and development of the city.

He belongs to the class of citizens that Janesville can not afford to lose and what is more, it is the height of nonsense to permit him to go. The reason given, by Mr. Mayne for his contemplated removal—that he has outlived his usefulness, and can do better work in a new town, is altogether too gaudy to deceive anyone. If Mr. Mayne was a machine teacher, teaching a time honored and moss grown ruts, as too many men in his profession do, it might be well for him and well for the schools to change the rut, but Mr. Mayne is not a rut builder. He is a rut filler, and with larger opportunities he would make the rough places that still exist in the Janesville schools so smooth that the place would hardly be recognized.

It is said that salary cuts no figure. That's a weak argument, and simply used to let Mr. Mayne out gracefully. It ought to cut "no figure," because Janesville can afford to pay as much for a good school superintendent as any city of similar size anywhere. Mr. Mayne is honorable in not wanting to use an offer elsewhere as a club to improve his financial condition.

Why then has Mr. Mayne decided to go away. Without knowing very much about it, and with no advice from the gentleman it is easy to surmise a good and sufficient reason, and if the facts are ever known, the surmise will be found to be correct.

Janesville, like many other cities, has long been cursed with the notion, that a school superintendent is a figurehead, and that a school board is the whole head and front of the school system, as a result the school board is frequently overworked, and the schools suffer in consequence.

The board is composed of an intelligent lot of men, who are perfectly willing to work, but it is hardly fair to load them up with all the responsibility of the school system.

There is one class of work that the board attempts to do, for which it is totally incompetent, and every time they attempt it, they insult the superintendent, and that is the selecting of teachers.

The superintendent is held responsible for the success of the schools; and yet he has less to say about who his helpers shall be than a section boss on a hand car, or the conductor of a way freight.

The custom lacks the common sense of the most ordinary business, and descends to the level of street work, where the commissioner is expected to employ any man who has strength enough to lean on a shovel.

Some alderman has a friend, or some parent has a daughter who wants a place in the city schools. The girl is a lady with good mental equipment and pull enough of some kind, to secure her the place. The board hires her, failing to recognize the fact that it requires more than mental equipment, to make school teachers.

This practice faithfully followed for a term of years, makes the city school system a pension agency and dumping ground, the same as the street system, and then you wonder why an intelligent and progressive man like Mr. Mayne is not satisfied.

This is no reflection on the present school board, but it is a sharp criticism on a custom that has long been a menace to the schools of the city, and that is an insult to intelligence and common sense.

If the Board of Education has any ambition to make a record for reform, let them abolish the old time custom, and say to Mr. Mayne, "you are the superintendent in fact, as well as in name, hire your own teachers and discharge them without question, if they don't fill the bill."

Load him with all the responsibility for the success of the schools, and give him all the freedom that this grave responsibility requires, and public sentiment will endorse the movement.

The school system should be absolutely free from politics or favoritism. The education of the child is too important to be handicapped by either. If it is possible to retain Mr. Mayne by paying him what he is worth and by giving him the freedom to which any superintendent is entitled, an effort should be made to retain him.

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## Margaret Joyce Dead.

On Saturday evening at 11:45 o'clock, Miss Margaret Winnifred Joyce, daughter of Mrs. Mary Joyce, 3 Emmett street, passed peacefully into the unknown land beyond the grave. She was twenty years of age, having been born in this city April 7, 1881. She was a member of last Senior class at Janesville High school but was unable to finish the course on account of ill health. Last fall she started school again but her strength failed and she was forced to give it up. She had been ill for the past five months. Besides a sorrow stricken mother, she leaves one sister, Mrs. F. Burt Carr, of Edgerton, and three brothers, John Michael and Martin Joyce, all of this city.

Funeral services will be held from St. Patrick's church tomorrow morning at nine o'clock.

## William Farmer Dead.

William Farmer, an old and respected citizen of this city, passed away Saturday evening at 7 o'clock at his home, 205 Chatham street, aged 78 years. The cause of his death was blood poisoning from an injury he received some time ago. He leaves to mourn his death a wife, three daughters and two sons, who have the sympathy of the community. The funeral was held from the home at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Interment was at Oak Hill cemetery.

## \$25 Reward.

The City of Janesville will pay a twenty-five dollar reward for the arrest and conviction of the person or persons who turned in the alarm of fire from alarm box 42 at 7:38 o'clock on Sunday evening, April 14, 1901.

## JOHN C. SPENCER,

Chief of Fire Dept.  
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## Notice to Contractors, Masons, Tilers and Painters.

The German Ev. Luth. church at Clinton intends to build a parsonage. Plans and specifications for the same may be seen at the residence of the pastor. The committee reserves the right to reject one and all bids which must be sent in before the 28th of April. H. Roehrs, pastor; Clinton, Wis.

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## A Quiet Wedding.

A quiet wedding took place this morning at 6:30 o'clock at St. Patrick's church. The contracting parties were John Kennedy and Margaret McManus. Rev. J. J. Collins performed the ceremony which made them man and wife. The young couple were attended by Martin Kennedy and Miss Nellie Houghton. They left on the 10:10 train for Chicago for a brief wedding trip.

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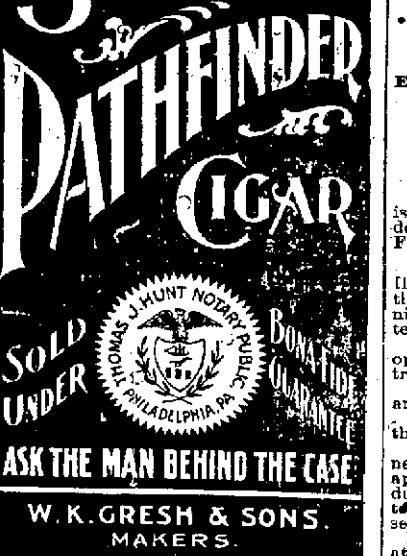
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To require the Janesville and Southern Railway Company to keep a flagman at its Center Avenue crossing in the City of Janesville.

The Mayor and Common Council of the City of Janesville do hereby enact the following:

Section 1. The Janesville and Southern railway company is hereby required to keep a flagman at the following crossing in said city at all times between the hours of six (6) o'clock a. m. and ten (10) o'clock p. m., to wit:

At the Center Avenue crossing on the Southern side of the Monterey bridge.

And by its flagman to seasonably warn all persons about to pass over said crossing of danger from approaching or passing engines or cars.

Section 2. In case said railway company shall fail to comply with the requirements of this ordinance said railway company shall pay to the said City of Janesville the sum of one hundred dollars, and the further sum of one hundred dollars for each twenty-four hours of such failure, after notice from the mayor or city marshall of said city of such violation, which notice shall be in writing and a copy thereof delivered to some agent of said company.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication, which publication shall be for three successive days.

Passed, March 18th, 1901.

Approved: VICTOR P. RICHARDSON, Mayor.

A. E. BADGER, City Clerk.

## Chenille

## Curtains

## MADE LIKE NEW

Your curtains can be

Dry Cleaned or Colored.

We guarantee satisfaction. The cost will not frighten you.

CARL BROCKHAUS,  
Wilcox Block, Janesville Wis.

## WANT COLUMN

Three Lines, Three Times for 25 Cents.

A GIRL wanted for general housework. Apply to Mrs. H. C. Dreyer, corner Milwaukee and Academy streets.

WANTED AT ONCE—A first class kitchen girl at the Hotel Myers.

WANTED—Six or seven-room house at reasonable rental; conveniently located. Address C. C. Gazette.

WANTED—Good strong girl for second work at Madison Hotel. Mrs. H. Mat.

WANTED—Traveling salesman to the wholesale and retail trade only. Salary \$1,200 and expenses. The National, 322 Caxton Building, Chicago.

WANTED TO RENT—Seven or eight-room house or flat. Address P. P. Gazette.

WANTED—Finishers and machine hands on silk waist and petticoats, at once. Call Isabel M. Co.

## FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Brussels carpet and black and white upholstered lounge. Inquire at 162 N. Jackson street.

FOR SALE—The cottage known as "Uncle Tom's Cabin," on lot from street car line, on Lake Delavan. T. F. Palmer, Box 1106.

FOR SALE—Folding bed, dresser and other household goods, nearly new, cheap. 212 S. Main street.

FOR SALE—High grade Spaulding chainless bicycle in first class condition. Will sell at a bargain. Inquire at this office.

FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN—Lot 4 by 6 rods located on a large lot from street car line; good location to build on. Also, house and lot. W. J. Little, 221 Washington street.

FOR SALE, CHEAP—Baby buggy in good condition. 178 Terrace street.

FOR SALE—Surry and best family and surry horse in the city. H. D. McKinney.

GOOD sound young horse for sale cheap; about 1,000 lbs. weight. M. Reed, 1/4 mile south of School for Blind.

FARM FOR SALE—160 acres 1 1/4 miles west of Milton Junction, under high state of cultivation; fine buildings all in good repair; can buy it now at a bargain; two chicken at barn and two at house; a good windmill and well. For further information address A. J. Campbell, Milton Junction, Wis.

## FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—10-room house, with barn; 89 street. Phone 692.

FOR RENT, FLAT—Furnished or unfurnished. Enquire of A. C. Kent, 50 South Main street.

FOR RENT—Three or four nice rooms for housekeeping; city and soft water and gas. 211 South Main street.

WANTED TO RENT—Seven or eight room house with bath and five minutes' walk from postoffice. Address W. Gazette.

## MISCELLANEOUS.

CEMENT and brick walks constructed in the most approved manner; thorough workmanship guaranteed; estimates furnished on application. Prices as low as anyone's for high grade work. E. F. Crossman, 65 Palm St. Phone 602.

LOST—Two two and one-half dollar gold pieces, used as a watch charm and highly prized as a souvenir. Finder please leave at this office.

CARPET CLEANING—We have a modern carpet cleaner, and are prepared to clean your carpets on short notice. Why not have your carpets cleaned when you can have the dust all taken from them without wear. Carpets cleaned and delivered free. Phone 211. J. F. Spoon & Co.

FOUND—Ladies' pocket book on Washington street, containing small sum of silver. Owner can have same by calling at J. F. Spoon & Co's office and paying for this notice.

SIX HUNDRED samples Alfred Peat's wall paper; all new designs; best in the city, corner Franklin and W. Milwaukee streets.

## MYERS GRAND OPERA HOUSE

PETER L. MYERS, MANAGER.

... Tuesday, April 16th...

Positively the greatest play ever presented in Janesville.

E. J. Carpenter's Splendid Scenic Production of

## QUO VADIS

The Superb Scenic Production

is a dramatization of Henryk Sienkiewicz's wonderful story, the sensation of the Christian world for stage representation it is divided into

Six Acts and Nine Scenes.

Illustrating in a manner graphic and convincing the dawn of Christianity and downfall of E. Carpenter's Largest and Powerful Dramatic Company.

SCENERY (none required belonging to the opera house) by Thos. Neville. Each scene a tribute to this great artist's skill.

COSTUMES by Desch, Rich, beautiful and historically correct.

"Quo Vadis" is a sormon with no one asleep in the pews. Natchez, Miss. Daily Democrat.

Note.—Universal praise from managers and newspapers where this fine company has lately appeared, justifies in offering them special inducement to come, and it is confidently expected to be the leading amusement event of the season.

PRICES—75, 50 and 25c. Sale of seats opens at box office Monday at 10 a. m.

Next attraction—JOHN GRIFFITHS, in an elaborate production of "FAUST"

## That's what they ALL say.

What do they ALL say?

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## BADGER COAL CO.

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## Piano Tuning

W. F. HURSEY, The Expert Piano Tuner

and Repairer, is prepared to do work in the city on short notice. Telephone, 25-2 ring.

Reference: H. F. BLISS, Superintendent State School for Blind.

## RIDER'S RACKET STORE.

## BARGAINS

In Seasonable Household Necessities.

Spring cleaning tools in abundance and very cheap. A great display of nice things for children as well as grown people. Come in and see if we don't show the biggest variety at the lowest prices.

163 W. MILWAUKEE STREET.

## Electric Motors

The state factory inspectors' report shows that more Janesville factories are operated by electric motors in proportion to total number than any town in the state.

## LOW PRICES and GOOD SERVICE

are the reasons and they are a great help towards developing Janesville as a manufacturing town.

## 120 MOTORS.

now in use, driving freight and passenger elevators, grain elevators and mills, printing offices, coffee mills, machine shops, saws, wood working machinery, pen companies, seed cleaners, feed cutters, laundries, ice cream machines, shoe, harness and windmill factories, dough mixers, dental engines, jeweller's lathes, sign and telephone motors, stamp cancelling, type setting, hay tool machinery, shell crushing, pumping, etc. Over 50 ventilating fans operated by motors in use. If you use or contemplate using power, call on us

## JANESVILLE ELECTRIC CO.

21 West Milwaukee Street.

## SAME STAND

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## GOODS

Wanted and all other articles bought and sold. Highest cash prices paid. I have a very fine line of Second Hand

## Cook Stoves

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GIVE ME A CALL.....

## G. A. CROSSMAN,

33 North Main Street.

## "Never Smoke"

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## Lamp Wick.

Because it never smokes the chimney. Because of perfect combustion it uses Less Oil and gives a Better, Brighter Light.

One Half More Light,

One Third Less Oil.

No Smoke.

Wicks for Flat Burners, 2 1/4 inches and less, 5 cents each; 50 cents per dozen.

For Round Burners, 10 cents. Mammoth Rochester, 25 cents.

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Trade supplied by Janesville Wholesale Grocery Co.

## THE NEW SHOES

Have been arriving

and they are certainly

finer and better than

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in the lead in every

point that pertains

to fine footwear. Style

fit, wear, character,

workmanship, fineness

and goodness, elegance

and comfort—in each and every POINT

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## That Floor.

This is the time of the year for a new polished floor.

You can do it yourself with the aid of Kert's Floor Wax.

It is not expensive and we warrant it. We also keep Johnson's Floor Wax. FURNITURE POLISH of all kinds.

## New Patterns in Wall

## Paper Now In.

## KENT &amp; CRANE,

No 13, South River Street. Telephone. 482.

## Archie Reid &amp; Co.



## FIGHT IS LIKELY ON LIBRARY SITE

Library Board Will Recommend Woods Site on Main Street

## COUNCIL MAY OBJECT

East Side and West Side in a Struggle to Get the Big Building,

## IT STIRS UP SOME FEELING

At the meeting of the library board held on Saturday evening the board voted unanimously to recommend the Dr. Woods' property, corner of South Main and First Streets, as the proper site for the new library building.

The site committee, acting for the library board, will make this recommendation to the city council at its regular session this evening.

**Council May Disagree**  
The general opinion is that the council will disapprove the site although there is some evidence that no decisive action will be taken this evening.

The site which the library board desires the city to purchase includes the entire plot of ground owned by Dr. Woods together with both residences.

The price asked for it is \$20,000 and the board estimates the salvage at \$5,000. In three separate instances parties have already offered \$2,000 for the smaller house on Park street and it is thought at least \$3,000 could be secured for the larger house which Dr. Woods occupies as a residence and office.

Of course both the houses cost several times the amount which they will bring.

**As Dr. Woods Looks At It.**  
Dr. Woods was and is still opposed to including his residence in his proposal for the library site. He and his wife are willing to sell every foot of ground south of their home for the library site and they are very frank to say that they would like to sell it for the library. They also feel that they have offered it at a very reasonable figure. But the house which is their home they did not buy to sell and they were only induced to include it by the persistent influence of people who think the corner the ideal spot for the library, but wanted a larger site.

The proposition made by Dr. Woods including his home was made late on Saturday afternoon and was warmly welcomed by the library board. In the almost unanimous opinion of the board it placed the ideal site within the reach of the city and it did not take the board many minutes to decide upon it.

**East Side Versus West Side.**  
That does not settle the matter, however, and from all appearances it looks as though the East Side versus the West Side fight was once more on with renewed vigor. Attempts are made to cover it up and other reasons given, but it is a curious fact that almost without exception East Side residents are in favor of the action of the library board and the West Side people are actively opposed to it.

It was whispered some time ago that the aldermen would have to be pretty well pleased before they would vote to purchase any site. One alderman asked a member of the library board today what the board would do if the council refused to accept the site. The member of the library board told him that the board would recommend the Bostwick property and the alderman answered that the council would not accept that site either.

**Cost is an Argument.**  
The strongest argument which is brought against the Woods' property is the cost. An attempt was made to secure expressions of opinion from large tax payers as to whether the library board's selection of a site should be approved. So far as it was prosecuted the attempt proved absolutely valueless. Tax payers who reside on the West Side declare the site to be altogether too expensive when sites which will answer every purpose can be purchased for much less money. Some say if so much is to be expended, the Mitchell property is preferable. The additional argument is used that the Woods' property is one of the most beautiful in the city as it now stands and it would be poor policy to take away buildings which are an ornament to the city simply to put up another fine building when there are so many places which really need beautifying.

**Arguments Pro and Con.**  
Those who argued from this aesthetic standpoint claim that it is the duty of the city to add another beautiful spot rather than merely to change the character of one which is already beautiful. They claim that the library would not be nearly as great an addition to the city if erected at the expense of the handsome residences on the Woods' property that it would if placed on some corner, now vacant, or occupied by some dilapidated building.

East Siders, on the other hand, say that the interests of the library ought to be served first and that all other considerations should be second.

any. In their opinion the Woods' property is the prettiest site and the best available one. Some say very frankly that it is not their first choice but it seems by far the best which has been offered. The East Side taxpayer, as a rule, does not think expense should enter into the decision of the council. It is the general opinion that the matter of a little money has no right to prevent the purchase of any site to which the price is the only objection. One large tax payer said that this false idea of economy has been the city's greatest fault and that the desire to get off as cheaply as possible ruined the high school building and that this same policy was being applied to the streets with the result that the next generation will have the work to do over again. Another prominent business man said that if he were a member of the library board and the council refused the site selected he would be in favor of writing Mr. Carnegie that the city is too poor to accept his gift. He thought that it would be a shame to haggle over the price when the entire library has been donated.

It has been suggested that the library could be so situated on the front half of the Woods' property as to leave room for a city hall in the rear and it is understood that some such idea will be presented to the council this evening.

## NEWS OF THE DAY IN TOWN

Y. P. S. dance tonight.  
Wall paper at Skelly's.  
Archie Reid's for nobbiest suits.  
New separate Eton jackets at Archie Reid's.

The finest 25-cent coffee on earth W. W. Nash.  
The C. M. & St. P. R. R., was in the city this morning.

Lettuce, young onions and green goods. W. W. Nash.

Interested in carpentry read our ad in this issue. T. P. Burns.

Spring and summer novelties in dress goods. Bort, Bailey & Co.

Corner Stone and Wingold flour 98 cents sack. W. W. Nash.

Don't forget the date of the Y. P. S. party on Monday, April 15.

Grant, solid meat tomatoes, 8 cts per can; 2 for 15 cts. Richter Bros.

New line of window shades, all sizes, at Skelly's book store.

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For Sale—Quartered oak chamber suites, hand carved, new. 354 S. River St. Superintendent D. D. Mayo has returned to his duties at the High school.

A full line of breakfast foods. All new and good goods. W. W. Nash.

Window shades, lace, damask and chenille curtains cheapest at T. P. Burns.

A large sample line of tailor made suits and Eton jackets just arrived at T. P. Burns.

Smith's orchestra and the Y. P. S. are a good combination. Come tonight and be convinced.

Regular meeting of the common council this evening. This will be the last meeting of the old term.

Albatross wool waists for spring and summer wear, white, black, red and grey, \$3.50. Archie Reid & Co.

Wanted—Finishers and machine hands on silk waists and petticoats, at once. Call at Isabel Mfg Co.

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Our carpet department is filled with the latest designs. On grains we are showing a stock second to none. Bort, Bailey & Co.

There never was a time when silk waists were so richly gotten up as now. They possess new charms that one may to advantage come down town expressly to see. We have them. Bort, Bailey & Co.

Mrs. Mary B. James, who had charge of the domestic science department of the Janesville High school last year, is in a university settlement, working with Russian Jews at St. Paul. The settlement is supported by wealthy Jews, and Mrs. James has had charge of the night school.

George W. Crossman of No. 54 Torrace street, who has been confined to the house for upwards of six weeks, is now on the way to recovery. He is able to be about on crutches, and is quite comfortable; he went out Sunday for a short drive, and it seemed to be very refreshing to him.

Our stock of wall paper this spring contains all the newest novelties. New designs in tapestries, beautiful oriental and floral patterns, crepe and pressed papers. New things in stripes. See us before you buy your new things in wall paper. We can save you money. Skelly's book store.

W. T. Dooley conducted one of the most successful horse sales of the season for H. E. Pease, the horseman, at Argyle, Wis., last Saturday. Forty head of Western horses were sold in one hour and a half. An average price of forty dollars was secured on the animals. Mr. Dooley auctions a sale on the Heck farm in the town of Fulton today.

## BEGIN AT ONCE ON NEW FREIGHT DEPOT

Bids to Build the New Milwaukee Road Station Will Be Opened in Milwaukee Tomorrow.

Work on the new Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul freight depot on North Main street will be commenced this week. The bids for the erection of the new building are in Milwaukee and will be opened tomorrow and the contract awarded to the successful bidder.

The contract calls for the work to be completed in thirty days and whoever is the fortunate bidder will have to begin work at once.

Mr. A. D. Campbell, representing the railroad will be in the city tomorrow with the bids and will superintend the starting of the structure and will have supervision of it as it is being built. It will not be the most imposing structure in the city but will be a good looking substantial building built of brick and will have windows and doors enough on the Main street side to break up the blank wall and give it a business like look. It will not be such a detriment to North Main street as many suppose.

The company will have two tracks at the rear of the depot, these connecting with the side track on Main street just south of A. N. Jones' warehouse. These will run on an angle across the company's land just north of Prospect avenue. The easterly ends of the two tracks will connect with another sidetrack in the rear of the Jones warehouse.

## BRIEF BITS OF LOCAL NEWS

Wall paper at Skelly's.

Paper Hangers are improving the interior of the store occupied by the Janesville Music Co.

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The lecture given by Capt. S. Alberti at Masonic hall this evening will begin at 7:30 o'clock. Captain Alberti's lecture to the Masons yesterday afternoon was very pleasing to those present. The captain is an agreeable talker and has a happy faculty of interesting his audiences.

Prospective piano buyers should not pay too much attention to the "big discounts" offered by some dealers for a "limited time." We give just as big a discount all the time as some people advertise for a short space of time. Quality is the most important point of any in the purchase of a piano. Our pianos all have quality and durability. Plenty of proof if you want it. H. F. Nott, 38 South Main street.

Married Couples Play Whist.

Mrs. A. F. Spooner entertained a small company of ladies charmingly at her home, 122 Madison street, Saturday evening. The company included the ladies of the Kiboniaswespeke Whist club, which is composed of married couples. During the past winter in addition to the regular meetings of the club, the ladies have met together on Saturday evenings, business keeping most of the gentlemen of the club from home on that evening.

No prizes are offered, and the evenings are devoted to playing duplicate whist. Last Saturday evening was one of the most enjoyable of the season, and it was with unusual reluctance that the ladies saw the approach of the midnight hour. Between the playing of the boards delicious refreshments were served.

Another False Alarm.

A break in the automatic fire alarm system at the Janesville Machine company's plant at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon called the department to that concern in quick time. Some one looking for trouble turned in an alarm from Box 42 at 7:38 o'clock last evening and gave the department a lively run. Chief Spencer and the police have the matter in hand and will see the guilty party gets the benefit if caught.

A PURE GRAPE CREAM OF TARTAR POWDER.

DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER

Highest Honors, World's Fair Gold Medal, Midwinter Fair

Avoid Baking Powders containing alum. They are injurious to health.

Beautify your home

You can do it yourself. We will give you a book telling you how to do it with Gersten-dorfer's Enamel. It puts a brilliant, hard, china-like surface on everything. Come in and get one of those books and see what a little money will do.

KOERNER BROS.

Druggists & Deutsche Apotheker

Cor. Milwaukee and Jackson Sts.

New Phone 707. The New Drug Store.

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## TIED A FLAT-IRON TO THE DOG'S TAIL

Fifth Ward Woman's Novel Means of Causing Strangulation Proves a Complete Success.

A woman residing in the Fifth ward and a dog that was a nuisance and she decided to put it out of the way. After thinking the matter over for some time and considering which would be the easiest way to dispose of it, she concluded she would hang it. She secured a rope and placed a noose around the dog's neck and suspended it from a convenient beam in one of the out buildings.

The dog was a small animal and his weight was not sufficient to tighten the noose. It struggled and swung around for some time without getting choked and the woman concluded that something would have to be done if she killed the dog in the manner she set out to. She considered a number of plans and finally a bright idea entered her head to tie a weight onto the dog. She secured a flat iron and a piece of cord and attached the iron to the dog's tail. The added weight had the desired effect of tightening the noose about its neck and it soon ceased to struggle. The woman is thinking of having the invention patented.

Scholarship at Beloit.

Mayor Victor P. Richardson, Judge J. W. Sale, James Harris and C. Bassett have offered a one-year scholarship at Beloit college to the young man in the Senior class at the Janesville High school who graduates with the highest standing and desires to avail himself of the opportunity. The scholarship is for tuition alone and is worth \$36. Supt. D. D. Mayo was notified of the offer this morning.

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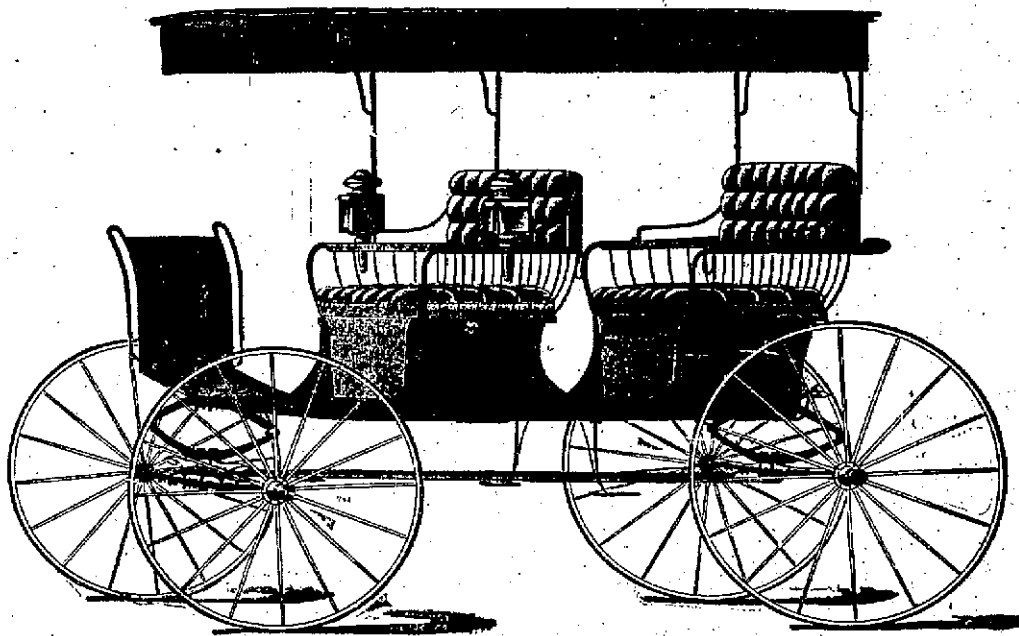
Total assets	\$580,051.44
Third—Liabilities	
Not amount of unpaid losses	37,980.05
Amount of unearned premiums	287,544.43
All other demands against the company	18,772.75
Total liabilities except capital stock and not surplus	\$424,297.23
Deposit capital	200,000.00
Surplus beyond capital	49,944.21
Total liabilities	\$580,051.44
Fourth—Receipts	
Net cash received for premiums	\$437,588.28
Interest and dividends received	19,400.07
Income received from all other sources	71,430.64
Total receipts	\$528,418.99
Fifth—Disbursements	
Not amount paid for losses	\$403,583.60
Paid for commission or brokerage	113,350.03
Salaries and other charges of officers, clerks, etc.	25,058.04
Printing rents	\$1,573.62
Paid for taxes and insurance department fees	15,303.27
Other expenditures	19,938.79
Interest remitted to home office	15,067.08
Total disbursements	\$592,971.10
Sixth—Miscellaneous—Wisconsin Business	
Risks written	\$300,073.00
Premiums received	9,007.47
Losses paid	15,323.54
Losses incurred	11,189.13
Insurance Department, Madison, Wis.	
I hereby certify that the foregoing is an abstract of the sworn statement of the North German Fire Insurance Company, of Hamburg, Germany, filed with the Insurance Department of Wisconsin, this 31st day of January, 1901.	
EMIL GILJOHANN, Commissioner of Insurance.	

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CHARTERED BY AN ACT relating to the county court of Rock County.

The people of the state of Wisconsin represented in senate and assembly do enact as follows:  
Section 1. In case of the sickness, absence from home or inability arising from any cause of the county judge of Rock County or in case said judge, or any member of his family, or any relative is in any way interested in any proceeding in the Rock County court, or before the judge of said court, or when said judge deems that for any cause it is improper for him to hear or try any proceeding in said court or before him as judge of said court, he may request the municipal judge of said county to hold said court or hear and try any such matter or proceeding; and the said municipal judge is hereby authorized and empowered upon such request from the county judge to hold said county court, or perform any act as judge thereof as fully as said county judge is authorized or empowered to do.  
Section 2. Such municipal judges when acting under request of the county judge as provided in section 1 of this act shall be designated as "acting county judge."  
Section 3. This act to take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.  
Approved March 28, 1901.

**Alarm for Waldeck-Rousseau.**  
Paris, April 15.—The clerical journal, Verite Francaise, says the intimate friends of Prime Minister Waldeck-Rousseau are alarmed at the condition of his health. There have been three operations in Paris and a fourth will be necessary in a short time. There are no indications that his convalescence has begun. It is also feared that he may lose his sight.

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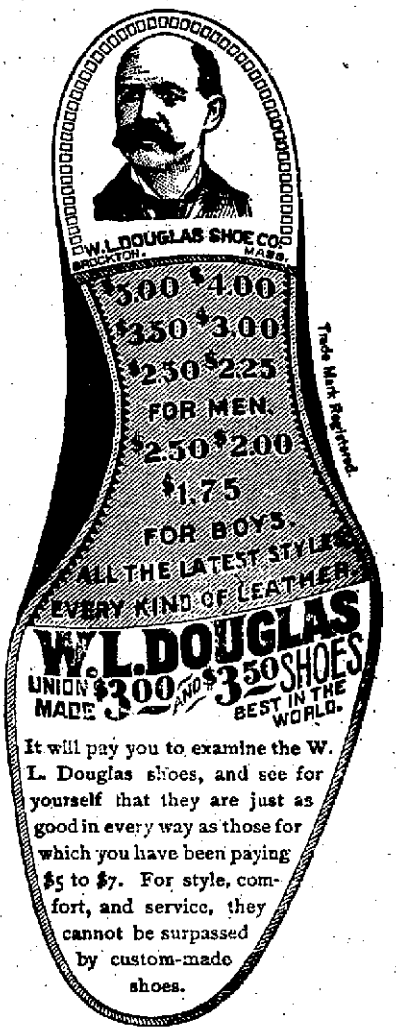
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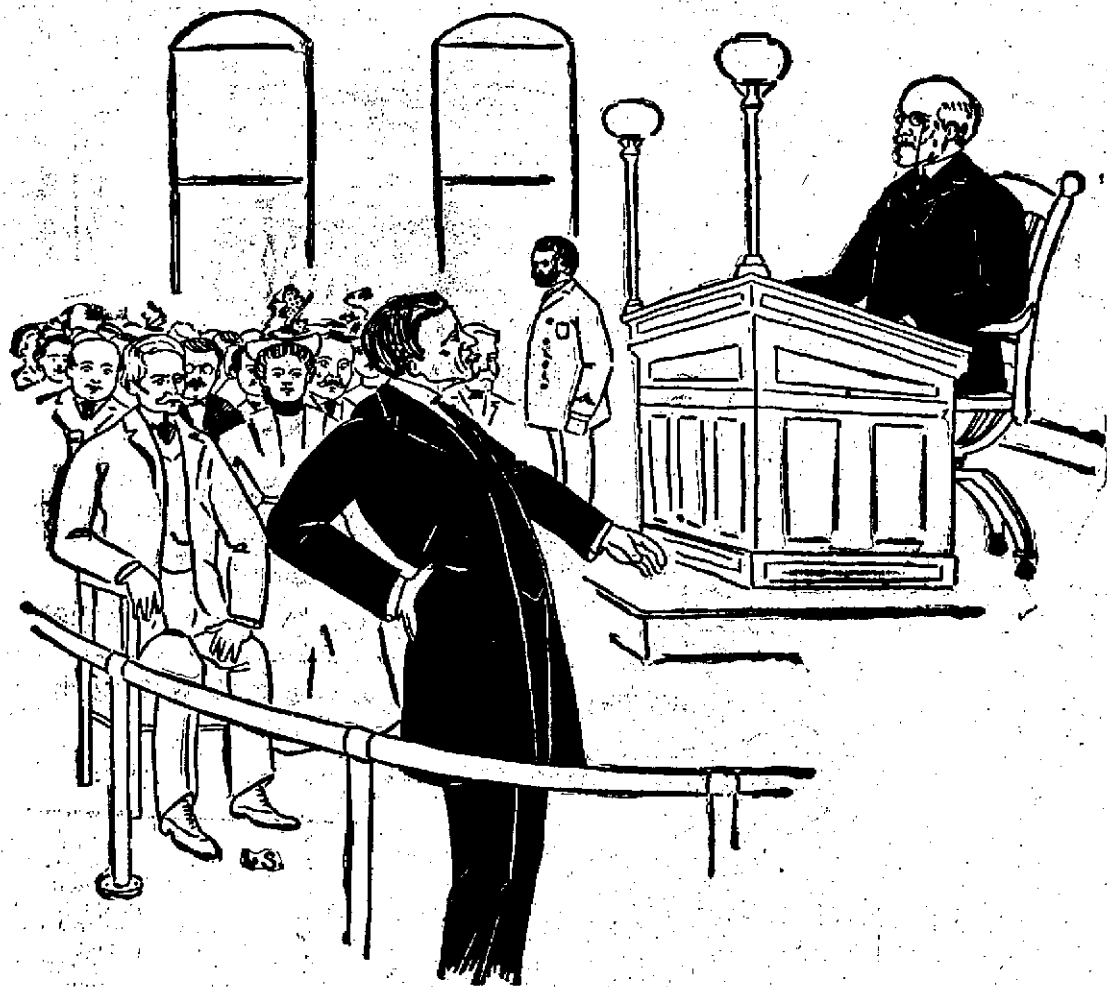
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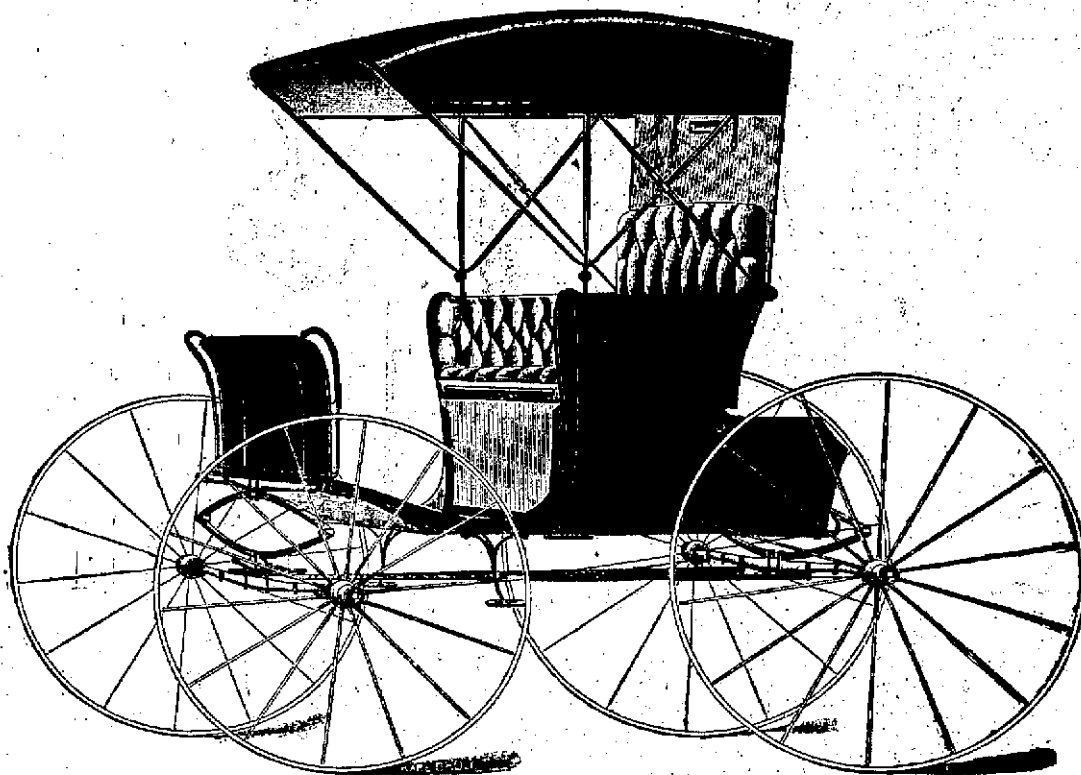
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